OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City, for week ending Saturday the 17th December 1927.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market Report	Retail prices
Food grains and pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	19 0 0 to 24 0 0	—	4½ to 5½ seers per rupee.
	Pattagamanahalli Sanna per palla —	„	„	21 0 0 to 25 0 0	—	4 to 4½ „
	Dharapur „ ..	„	„	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	—	3⅝ to 3¾ „
	Mysore kaddi „ ..	„	„	18 0 0 to 22 0 0	..	4½ to 5½ „
	Alubbalu „ ..	„	„	...	No stock	...
Ragi ..	Dugam (black) per cart load —	640	..	70 0 0	..	8½ to 9 „
	Superior (red) „ ..	640	..	72 0 0	..	
Tur ..	Gulberga	—	—	...	..	5 „
Tur (Dal) ..	....	—	...	....	..	3½ to 4 „
Avare ..	....	—	...	....	..	4½ to 5 „
Avare (Dal) ..	....	..	..	....	..	3½ to 4 „
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	..	26¼	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	—	0-3-3 to 0-3-6 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	6 8 0 to 6 10 0	..	0-2-9 per seer
Oil seeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ..	255	—	58 0 0 to 63 0 0	—	...
	Castor seed „ ..	255	—	28 0 0 to 32 0 0	—	...
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ..	White Bura	25	3 10 0 to 3 11 0	—	0-7-3 to 0-7-6 per vise	
	Kolar Bura	25	3 8 0 to 3 9 0	..		
Jaggery ..	Achu	28	2 8 0 to 2 12 0	—	0-4-9 to 0-5-6 per vise	
	Oonde	28	2 6 0 to 2 8 0	..		
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	..	26¼	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	—	3-0-0 to 3-2-0 „
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) —	100	..	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	..	14 to 14⅓ seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 19th December 1927.

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OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 17TH DECEMBER 1927.

A total of 73 attacks with 48 deaths from plague was returned during the week all the districts being affected except Tumkur and Hassan. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore returned 5 attacks with 1 death and 6 attacks with 6 deaths respectively, while the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week was 141 attacks with 81 deaths in 1926, and 82 attacks with 64 deaths in 1925.

3. The State remained free from cholera, influenza and relapsing fever.

4. Twelve attacks with 4 deaths from small-pox were returned for one village in Kumsi Taluk and the City of Mysore.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City for the week was 70 representing a calculated annual ratio of 30·70 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·05 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under plague, 3 under malaria, 8 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 6 under phthisis, 5 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 46 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 67 representing a calculated annual ratio of 41·50 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·71 for 1926. The causes of deaths were small-pox 5, plague 6, malaria 1, pneumonia 4, typhoid 1, other fevers 1, phthisis 5, dysentery and diarrhœa 12 and all other causes 32.

7. There were 41 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields are equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 23·77 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·28 for 1926. The causes of deaths were malaria 1, pneumonia 4, other fevers 4, and all other causes 32.

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